

---

**Reporting Title:** Kingella kingae PCR, B  
**Performing Location:** Rochester**Specimen Requirements:**

The high sensitivity of amplification by polymerase chain reaction requires the specimen to be processed in an environment in which contamination of the specimen by Kingella kingae DNA is unlikely.

Container/Tube:

Preferred: Lavender top (EDTA)

Acceptable: Royal blue top (EDTA), pink top (EDTA), or sterile vial containing EDTA-derived aliquot

Specimen Volume: 1 mL

Collection Instructions: Send specimen in original tube (preferred).

**Specimen Minimum Volume:**

0.5 mL

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Whole Blood EDTA	Refrigerated (preferred)	7 days	
	Frozen	7 days	

**Result Codes:**

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
48451	Specimen Source	Alphanumeric		31208-2
48338	Kingella kingae PCR, B	Alphanumeric		65809-6

LOINC and CPT codes are provided by the performing laboratory.

**Supplemental Report:**

No

**CPT Code Information:**

87798

---

**Reference Values:**

Not applicable